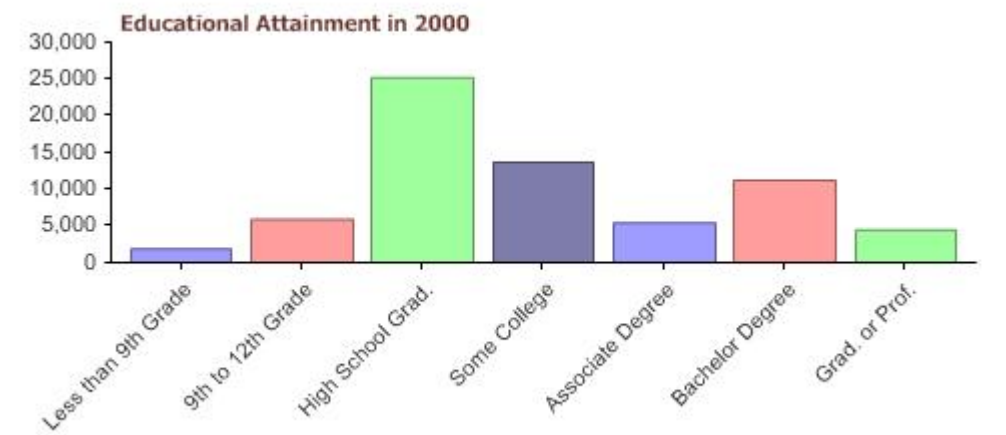


# Hendricks County, IN Highlights

## Education

The level of education of our workforce is a critical factor for economic and community development. It often provides insight into the skill levels of a local area. The metrics provided here focus on the attainment of degrees and high school graduates' higher education intent. The type of work (occupations) residents perform can also assist in understanding skill levels.

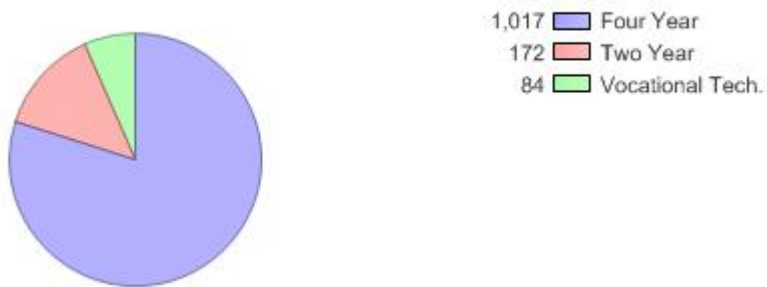
Educational Attainment				
	1970	1980	1990	2000
Total Population 25 and Older	N/A	N/A	48,047	67,683
Less than 9th Grade	N/A	N/A	2,228	1,885
9th to 12th, No Diploma	N/A	N/A	5,428	5,895
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	N/A	N/A	19,138	25,173
Some College, No Degree	N/A	N/A	9,616	13,680
Associate Degree	N/A	N/A	2,911	5,406
Bachelors Degree	N/A	N/A	5,286	11,193
Graduate or Professional Degree	N/A	N/A	3,440	4,451



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

High School Graduates Going on to Higher Education				
	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total Graduates	1,289	1,295	1,416	1,574
Total to Higher Education	1,055	1,116	1,230	1,273
Four-Year Institution	823	865	961	1,017
Two-Year Institution	131	153	188	172
Vocational/Tech.	101	98	81	84
Military	40	31	38	35

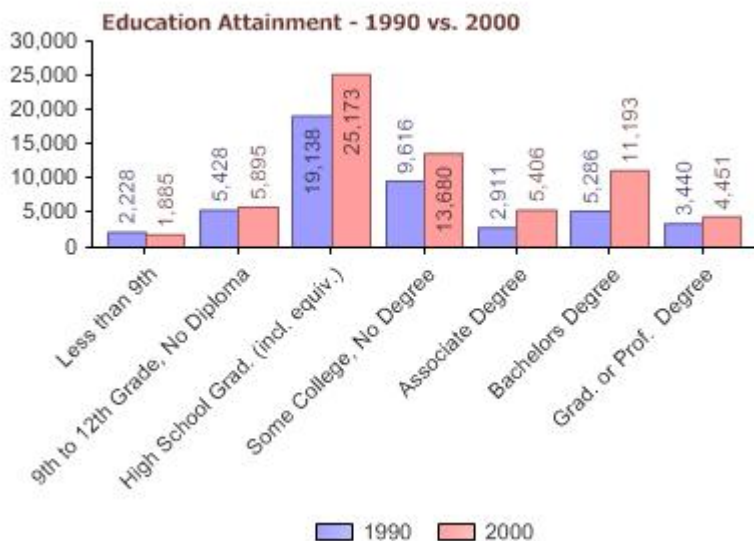
## 2007 Higher Education Intent



Source: Indiana Department of Education

## Educational Attainment in 1990 and 2000

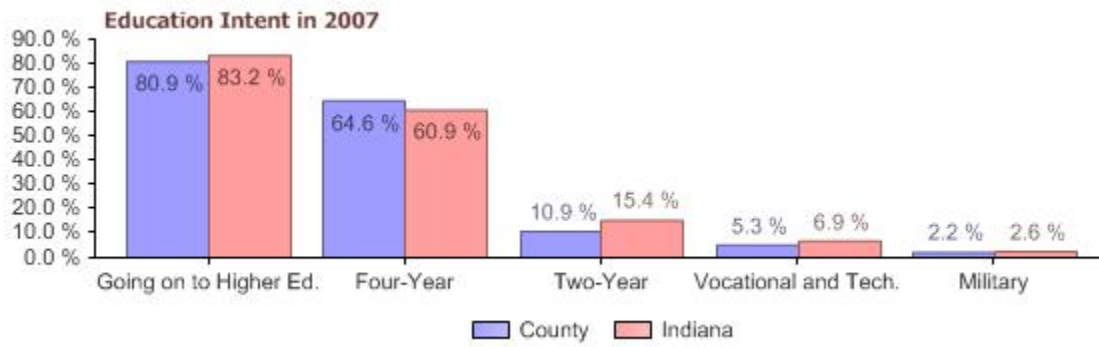
	1990	Pct. of Pop. 25+	2000	Pct. of Pop. 25+
<b>Total Population 25+</b>	48,047	100.0%	67,683	100.0%
Less than 9th Grade	2,228	4.6%	1,885	2.8%
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	5,428	11.3%	5,895	8.7%
High School Graduate (incl. equivalency)	19,138	39.8%	25,173	37.2%
Some College, No Degree	9,616	20.0%	13,680	20.2%
Associate's Degree	2,911	6.1%	5,406	8.0%
Bachelor's Degree	5,286	11.0%	11,193	16.5%
Graduate or Professional Degree	3,440	7.2%	4,451	6.6%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## High School Graduates Higher Education Intent

	2007 Pct. Dist.	Indiana Pct. Dist.
<b>Graduates</b>	100.0%	100.0%
Total Going on to Higher Education	80.9%	83.2%
Four-Year Institution	64.6%	60.9%
Two-Year Institution	10.9%	15.4%
Vocational and Tech.	5.3%	6.9%
Military	2.2%	2.6%



Source: Indiana Department of Education